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General Alumni Association

Indiana, Pennsylvania

State College



COVER: Picture of Old Indian Spring for which a plaque honoring Lt. Col. John Armstrong, famous Indian fighter, was unveiled by the James Le Tort Chapter of the Daughters of American Colonists at ceremonies held held Saturday, October 11, near the Student Union Building on the Indiana State College campus.

Col. Armstrong and his men are said to have camped on the site of the spring on the night of September 6, 1756, on their way from Fort Shirley (in what is now known as Huntingdon County) to Kittanning where they had been ordered to destroy a Delaware Indian Village.

The assault was the first successful campaign against the Indians in Western Pennsylvania and opened the way for the western movement which soon followed. (Note: Additional pictures of the Spring may be found on page 32.)

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Alumni Executive Council Meeting Secretary's Minutes

Saturday, October 19, 1963 Cogswell Hall Auditorium

The Homecoming meeting of the Executive Council of the General Alumni Association was held in Cogswell Hall Auditorium, Saturday, October 19, 1963, at 9:30 a.m. Because of the late arrival of the President, the meeting was called to order by Vice President, Mr. Roy H. Ankeny, who expressed his pleasure at the good attendance. Miss Brennan arrived, apologized for being late which was due to heavy traffic and then a parking problem.

The Treasurer's Report was presented by Miss Mary L. Esch as fol-

lows:	
Balance Operating Account May 25, 1963	\$1,364.12
RECEIPTS	
Dues—Jeannette and Pittsburgh Alumni Units	\$198.00
Dues—Individuals	393.00
Gifts—Jeannette Unit and Dutch Club, Pittsburgh,	
Pennsylvania, in memory of Ruby Leavitt Shaffer	
Address Service	10.00
Total Receipts	666.00
	\$2,030.12
EXPENSES	
June issue of the Alumni News Bulletin	
Service contract for addressing machine	
Cards for addressing machine	
Framing Alumni Citation	
Travel Expense	
Flowers	
Membership American Alumni Council	
Membership Council of Alumni Association of the	
Pennsylvania State Colleges	
Total Expenses	
Balance October 19, 1963	\$ 725.07
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The motion to acept and file the report was made by Miss Ann Carlin, seconded by Miss Helen MacWilliams. Passed.

President Brennan then stated that "the Alumni Association has an Executive Committee and one of the factors that holds the Association together is the various projects. The chairman of this committee is Mrs. Sally Johnson, and we now have two large projects, two vital projects, two important projects: (1) Membership, and (2) the Annual Giving Fund, a source of income; but most of all, a source of tying us together and to the college from which we were graduated. Mrs. Audrey Graham is chairman of the Annual Giving Project but she is absent from this meeting because of an important meeting of the National Education Association in Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Johnson will report on Annual Giving for Mrs. Graham."

Mrs. Johnson gave the financial report on the Annual Giving Fund as follows:
Balance Operating Account May 25, 1963
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RECEIPTS RECEIPTS
Contributions from Individuals\$ 233.00
Repayment of loan from Athletic Fied Project for
installation of water line1,630.60
Total Receipts
\$2,646.52
EXPENSES
Donation to Study in Spain Program
Balance October 19, 1963\$1,646.52
Life Membership Fees are held as a permanent fund in a Savings
Account. The report on this fund follows:
Balance Savings Account May 25, 1963\$5,254.50
Six (6) new Life Members \$230.00
Accumulated Interest
Total Receipts
Balance October 19, 1963 \$5,754.61

Miss Brennan remarked that she was glad Mrs. Johnson mentioned Life Memberships, and that she would like to have a real drive on Life Memberships since the money is placed in the bank as a permanent fund and draws interest.

Miss Brennan: "Another of our projects is the Jennie M. Ackerman Student Loan Fund. We feel this is a very worthwhile project, in memory of a great teacher, and students from our college will benefit from the fund. The committee will work hard on this project during the year, and we are sure it will take strides. The Board of Trustees has authorized the naming of the new Home Economics Building in honor of Miss Ackerman. About this time next year the building should be completed. The chairman of this committee, Mrs. Flossie Sanford, is President of the Pennsylvania Federation of Women's Clubs, and she is absent because of a meeting today in Harrisburg. Miss Alice St. Clair, an active worker on the project, will report on its progress. Miss St. Clair was close to Miss Ackerman, and she has just recently been appointed as a member of the College Board of Trustees."

Miss St. Clair: "I am hapy to serve on the Ackerman Memorial Loan Committee and to speak about Miss Ackerman. Years ago when Miss Ackerman first came to the Training School, if she stepped into a classroom, she didn't need to say a word—her presence let the students know she was there. On page 19 of the October 1963 issue of the Alumni News Bulletin you will find an excellent report on the Jennie M. Ackerman Memorial Fund. It states that we had \$4,347.30 as of September 17, 1963; to date, we have \$4,387.55 so you see we are growing. Applications for loans are being received. The money is ready for students at this time. The project was just started last May and to think that money is available this semester is a big thing. Loans are processed through the campus Loan and Scholarship Committee with an interest rate of 2% to the maturity date, 6% thereafter. Contributions to this fund are still coming in and I would urge alumni and friends of Miss Ackerman to contribute; we are anxious to help worthy students get the money they need in order to continue their education."

Miss Brennan thanked Miss St. Clair and wished her success in her term of office on the Board of Trustees.

Mr. Samuel F. Furgiuele, a graduate of Indiana, a very active member of the Alumni Association, and now Director of Public Relations, reported on the Alumni News Bulletin and the Council of Alumni Associations of Pennsylvania State Colleges.

In reporting on the Alumni News Bulletin, Mr. Furgiuele stated that he had received so much material from the Alumni that publishing his first bulletin was no trouble. He also said he hoped Alumni would continue to send information of interest about Alumni Units and the Alumni whom they know. Mr. Furgiuele called attention to the insert in the October Bulletin, which was paid for by the Athletic Department, concerning the football game between Indiana and Montclair State College to be played at Convention Hall in Atlantic City on November 23. This will be an indoor game, and it is hoped that a lot of alumni will attend.

In speaking of the Council of Alumni Associations of the Pennsylvania State Colleges, Mr. Furgiuele stated that he had just attended his first meeting of this group. He said he was one of the skeptics when this Association was organized, but Dr. Nicholson had convinced him that it is a good organization. After attending his first meeting, he stated, there is no doubt about the value of the Council. It is doing dynamic work—people who are sincerely interested in pushing forward the cause of the State Colleges at any expense are members; they are not concerned with the cost in time, and are willing to sacrifice both time and money for the benefits of the State Colleges.

They now recommend two things: (1) Pass the resolution asking support for the Constitutional Amendment 1A which will provide loans to students for higher education purposes. Mr. Furgiuele urged support for this amendment—it is a worthwhile endeavor. (2) Support for what is called the Cold War GI Bill of Rights, which will permit American military personnel who were in Berlin, as well as others not recognized at this time under the GI Bill of Rights, to receive benefits.

Indiana has paid its membership fee in the Association for 1963-64. Mr. Furgiuele then spoke briefly about the newly-created State Board of Education. He stated that about the first of October Governor Scranton had appointed members to the Board. As a result, a member of the Council has been appointed a representative on the Board. The person recommended by the group is a graduate of Cheyney, an attorney in Harrisburg and a remarkable and capable man—James Rowland, Esq. He further stated that as a result of this appointment, we should see the State Colleges given more recognition than they have received in the past.

Miss Brennan then commented that the Alumni Bulletin is the chain that holds us together and that we should all read and re-read the bulletin. She then urged everyone to vote on November 5.

Miss Brennan introduced Dr. Willis E. Pratt, President of the College.

Dr. Pratt stated that the over-all enrollment at Indiana is 5,200 students; the faculty numbers 247 and they come from almost every state and from foreign countries—they are of all races, creeds, and backgrounds; th caliber of student body is high, most rank in the upper fifth of their high school class. On campus, the new Home Economics Building

named in honor of Miss Jennie M. Ackerman is under construction, also a new men's dormitory; Thaddeus Stevens School is being renovated, a new women's dormitory will be constructed within the next year, also a new dining room, a new science complex, and a new field house. So we have much to do on the campus within the next year or two. Dr. Pratt then commented that we are proud of all our alumni and that he was pleased to see John Federinko and John Varner back on campus. Dr. Pratt wished everyone a pleasant day and briefly reported the program —brunch, the dedication of Turnbull, Mack, and Stewart Halls, the parade of floats, the football game, the alumni dance, and many other activities.

Miss Brennan remarked that Indiana is growing and we are branching out into neighboring towns in order to take care of students who are not able to attend at the main campus and asked Miss Gertrude Ritzert to report on the Armstrong County Center in Kittanning.

Miss Ritzert stated that the Armstrong County Center was opened September 9, 1963. It has a local board with 7 members and is housed in a building once used by the West Penn Power Company. The building includes 5 classrooms, offices, a library, a lunchroom, and a large room which can be made into an assembly room. The student body includes 75 full-time students and 23 part-time students, a total of 97. Mr. Robert Doerr, an Indiana graduate, is in charge of the Center and also teaches business subjects. The Center has two full-time instructors and members of the campus faculty are at the Center several times a week. Mr. Samuel Furgiuele is in charge of the off-campus centers.

Mr. John Watta, Head of the Punxsutawney Center, was then introduced. He stated that the Punxsutawney branch was opened in September 1962 with an enrollment of 53 students. It is housed in an abandoned elementary school, which was remodeled by contributions from the people of Punxsutawney. The Center means a tremendous amount to the students who attend for they couldn't possibly attend college if it were not available to them. This semester there are 92 full-time students and 26 part-time students, making the total enrollment at the Punxsutawney Center 118 students. He also stated that the Center hopes to expand.

President Brennan stated that in 1961 Dr. Isar was given \$300 from the Annual Giving Fund to go to Spain to organize the Study in Spain Program and that in May 1963 an additional sum of \$1,000 was contributed for this program. She then called on Dr. Isar of the Foreign Language Department for a report on the Study in Spain Program.

Dr. Isar reported that the project had been most successful: "This is a project which over the years will mean a great deal to all of us," he stated. "We shall have students from Spain coming to Indiana, and there will be an exchange of professors—professors from our English Department will go to Spain.

"The project was started on a modest basis—we did not want to charge too much so that the maximum amount of students could participate. We had to ask for assistance and we are grateful for your contribution. We had hoped that the Department of Public Instruction would subsidize us. The program in the future will be self-supporting. We will not ask for your help again. It is now possible to take people for even less money for I have discovered some short cuts which I assure you are important.

"Dr. Pratt has done a tremendous amount of work. We had a very successful start—21 students went to Spain this year (1963) and 50 will go next summer. This program is serving all the State Colleges and the 65 accredited institutions in Pennsylvania. The \$1,000 you invested has put Indiana on the map. Pamphlets on the Study in Spain Program are available and may be secured from the Foreign Language Department."

Dr. Isar then stated that Millersville has a similar program in Germany and West Chester in France, after which Dr. Isar again thanked the

alumni for their help.

Reports were given by representatives from the following units: Philadelphia, McKeesport, Pittsburgh, Indiana, Jeannette, Pittsburgh North Boroughs, Washington, D.C., and Tri Township.

Miss Brennan suggested that the units branch out and those who can't attend unit meetings hold small meetings of their own with the

organized unit as the leader.

Miss Brennan commented on the new book by Agnes Sligh Turnbull, THE KING'S ORCHARD, and stated that we are today dedicating three new dormitories—one in honor of Mrs. Turnbull. The other dormitories have been named for Hope Stewart, former Dean of Women, and Mabel Waller Mack, daughter of a former principal at Indiana and a long time member of the College Board of Trustees.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, the meeting was adjourned

at 10:45 a.m.

Respectfully, submitted, Marian I. Francis Secretary

John Urey Featured In Clearfield Paper

(The following story by Betty Hamilton entitled "Pattern For A Long and Happy Life" appeared in THE PROGRESS of Clearfield, Pennsylvania, on October 26, 1963, and is here printed in its entirety:)

Want to live to be over 90?

Then don't dodge hard work nor adversity . . . solve your problems yourself . . . and never lose interest in living.

Although he isn't likely to do so, John M. Urey of 412 E. Cherry St.,

Clearfield, could give that very advice.

He's never been known to side-step a problem, either mental or physical, and at 93 he's still a practicing attorney with good health, an alert mind, a keen memory — and most of his hair.

It wasn't done the easy way.

It took determination and ambition to earn his own education, gain success in two professions and in nearly a century of living maintain a physical condition doctors term "remarkable."

The dignified looking, white-haired Mr. Urey may joke about getting facts together for his "obituary" but he gives the impression it will be a

long time before he throws in the towel.

There's no indication he's letting down either physically or mentally. He still walks to work, still tends a garden that he proudly describes as "the nicest in town" and still retains a lively interest in politics and current events.

His only concession to advanced years are confining his working hours to afternoons and carrying a cane "for a touch of arthritis."

He admits to only three real illnesses in his life — and all involved operations.

"Even then I got out of the hospital and around as soon as I could," he says with a smile. "I don't like hospitals."

During the influenza epidemic of World War I, his office in the Clearfield Trust Company building served as an assignment station for doctors and nurses.

He recalls that many of the medical personnel who came into his office unknowlingly had the first stages of the disease and died within a few days.

"Although I was in contact with them and also called at the emergency hospitals, I never contracted the flue."

But maintaining good health during nearly a century of living is not his sole claim to being unusual. Mr. Urey has also:

—belonged to the Clearfield County Bar Association longer than any member in its history — 67 years during which he practiced before eight judges: David L. Krebs, Cyrus Gordon, Allison O. Smith, Singleton Bell, A. R. Chase, W. Wallace Smith, F. Cortez Bell and John J. Pentz.

—engaged in almost every phase of law from criminal cases to title work.

—taught school and served as an administrator in both the Clear-field and DuBois high schools.

—helped establish the office of Clearfield County controller, the Clearfield Board of Health and the borough's first shade tree commission.

Because he has outlived most of his pupils, few persons realize that Mr. Urey began his professional career as a teacher.

During the school term of 1891-92 Mr. Urey, then 21, served as assistant principal in the Clearfield High School and taught the entire curriculum to the freshman and sophomore classes.

The following two school terms he was principal of the DuBois High School at the salary of \$75 a month — considered then to be a lucrative sum.

It was almost solely through his own efforts that he obtained the education to fit him for two professions, teaching and the law.

It started on his father's 100-acre farm in Banks Township, Indiana County where John was born and received his basic education in a little school located on a corner of the farm.

For most of the pupils the term was five months long but for him it was usually only four months. The remainder of the time he was needed on the farm to do the chores that are the lot of a farmer's son.

He recalls that in those days when schools did not furnish books, he obtained his first textbook — a written arithmetic — himself. He picked chestnuts on the farm, rode horseback three miles to the nearest store and exchanged the chestnuts for the textbook.

When he reached the age of 17, his parents enrolled him in the Indiana State Normal School. Despite his meager educational background he rated as high in entrance examinations as graduates of the Pittsburgh High Schools.

In the summer of 1891 he was graduated at the age of 21 with the highest honors in his class. It was a hard earned college diploma.

Faced with financial difficulties after the completion of his freshman year, he had earned the rest of his way through various jobs.

One year he furnished mail service to the students and teachers and rang the gong outside the Old Chapel for the changing of classes. Another year he taught short school term in the village of Smithport at the salary of \$30 per month and peeled bark and sawed logs in the woods during the summer for \$1.50 a day.

And even graduation from college didn't solve his problems.

Recalling graduation day, he said, "After saying good-bye to everyone I walked down the hall of Old Chapel and asked myself, 'Where do I go from here?' I was only 21 and couldn't hope to get a very respsonsible job."

But he did manage to get such a job when he obtained the assistant principalship at the Clearfield High School. A year later he was to accept the much better job at DuBois.

But at that time only two professions actually appealed to young men — medicine and law.

"I began studying law in the offices of Thomas H. Murray, and Allison O. Smith, now both dead for many years," he said.

"On Sept. 7, 1896, I was admitted to the Clearfield County Bar Association and later to the Superior and Supreme Courts of Pennsylvania and to the federal courts."

As one who has belonged to the Clearfield Bar longer than any other member in its history, Mr. Urey says the only advice he can give young attorneys is:

"Go out and practice the law."

This was the course he followed as a young man. His first cases were civil ones but later when an "epidemic" of homicides hit the county around the turn of the century, he turned to criminal work.

"We young attorneys used to spend all our time sitting outside the courtroom hoping the court would appoint us to a case. In those days, most of this work was given to the older and experienced attorneys and we didn't stand much chance."

He did manage, however, to be assigned to the defense of Clayton Hoston, a Negro musician who killed a telegrapher, James Dunkle, at a dance in Karthaus Township.

Mr. Urey tried to prove that his client was an epileptic and that his crime has been the result of the illness.

"The judge would have none of that, however," he says with a laugh in remembering his courtroom strategy as a young attorney.

Hoston was found guilty but the death sentence was never carried out. He died in jail — not as the result of epilepsy — but of tuberculosis.

Later Mr. Urey's interest turned to municipal law and in 1909 he became solicitor for Clearfield Borough, a position he was to hold for 23 years. For a period of 12 years during and after the depression he served as the attorney for the receivers of a number of banks.

His greatest legal interest has been in title work and in recent years he has devoted his time almost completely to this. He has examined titles in almost every Clearfield County political sub-division as well as ones in Centre and Jefferson counties.

Although it has been a long time since he was engaged in teaching, he believes he has never quite relinquished the educational field.

His only law partners have both been young men, just starting in the legal profession—Joseph S. Ammerman, now a former federal attorney and a member of the law firm of Ammerman and Blakely; and Mr. Urey's present partner, Donald R. Mikesell.

"As a teacher I like to think I was able to teach them something about the law and the practice of it," he says. "As for myself, I am still studying law and its many changes. So I'm really still interested in education.1

Some of Mr. Urey's interest in politics may have also rubbed off on his young legal associates.

Mr. Ammerman, a Democrat, is currently a candidate for the judge of the Clearfield County Courts and Mr. Mikesell, a Republican, was a candidate for district attorney a few years ago. Both are very active in their respective political parties.

Mr. Urey, himself a Republican, takes as much interest in the current campaign as he did when he cast his first vote for Presidential Candidate William McKinley.

This was baptism of fire in politics and he remembers it was almost literally so. As a speaker in behalf of McKinley, he claims he was one of the few campaigners who ever were able to finish a speech at any of the county rallies.

The others were either frightened into silence or heckled into it by

McKinley's opponents, the Free Silver advocates.

The McKinley campaign speakers traveled by horse and wagon and many times on driving away from a rally found their opponents had blocked the way with logs and stumps.

Along with the changes in the political scene Attorney Urey has wit-

nessed the changes in the community.

Many of the buildings that stood when he became the first tenant of the Trust Company building have been replaced by modern structures. Once he could watch the horses and carriages from his law office. Now he hears the roar of diesel trailer trucks passing by.

His personal life has undergone many changes, too, in the passing

of time.

Just two years after becoming an attorney he married Annie C. Leitzinger. Her death seven years later in 1915, left him childless and alone.

Three years after becoming a widower he married Ella H. Fulton. To this marriage two daughters were born. They both now have their own families, live away from Clearfield and enjoy the same type of absorbing life their father has known. Dorothea is the wife of the Rev. Robert H. Meloy, a United Presbyterian missionary, and lives with her husband and four children in Khartoum in the Sudan.

Jane, the wife of Bernard F. Judy and also the mother of four children, lives in Toledo, Ohio, where her husband is an editorial writer for

the Toledo Blade.

Homecoming is a happy occasion at the Urey household — another important event in a life that at 93, Mr. Urey calls "an interesting experience" and one he intends to enjoy to the end.

Council of Alumni Associations of The State Colleges of Pennsylvania

Minutes of September 21, 1963

The 21st meeting of The Council of Alumni Associations of the State Colleges of Pennsylvania was called to order by President Leon Lunn at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, September 21, 1963 in Room 202 of the PSEA Building, 400 North Third Street, Harrisburg. Representatives were present from thirteen of the state colleges as follows:

Bloomsburg Millard C. Ludwig Cheyney James H. Rowland, Esa. C. Clifford Washington, Jr. Clarion Ernest Aharrah John R. Wildrick East Stroudsburg Edinboro Michael M. Zahorchak Indiana Samuel Furgiuele Kutztown Gordon Dustan Paul Knedler Lock Haven Allen D. Patterson Mansfield Leon E. Lunn Millersville Leo H. Eckert Shippensburg Mark Lipper Sara E. Drake Slippery Rock Wallace Kerr West Chester Janice Etshied

Communications Services, Inc. was represented by Donald W. Rich, Jr., President.

SECRETARY'S MINUTES AND TREASURER'S REPORT — Minutes were read and approved as read of previous meetings as follows: (1) Council Meeting held April 27, 1963; (2) Special Executive Committee Meeting held September 6 and 7, 1963 at Lebanon, and (3) Regular Executive Committee Meeting held September 20, 1963.

Mrs. Janice Etshied, treasurer, read the financial report as of September 20, 1963 as follows:

Total receipts		\$3,159.98
		2,665.05
Total in checkin	g account	494.93
Total in savings	account	3.000.00

The treasurer also reported that all fourteen state colleges have made their contributions for the current year which ends September 30, 1963. It was pointed out that the fiscal year runs from October 1 to September 30.

CORRESPONDENCE — Mr. Lunn read a copy of the letter mailed to Governor Scranton suggesting James H. Rowland, Esq., as an individual worthy of a seat on the newly created Council of Higher Education. Governor Scranton's prompt and courteous reply was likewise read. (Ed. Note: Mr. Rowland has since been appointed by the Governor) Mr. Lunn

also read the letter and resolution which was mailed to each of the thirteen state college presidents indicating the willingness of the Council to support any action which the Board of Presidents might initiate in an effort to correct the policy of lapsing appropriations.

Reading on October 7th at 7:00 P.M. with Mr. Robert Urbani, president of the Association of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State Colleges, and three state college presidents as follows: Dr. I. L. de Francesco, Dr. D. L. Biemesderfer, and Dr. R. E. Heiges. On motion by Mr. Rowland, seconded by Mr. Aharrah and passed, Mr. Lunn was authorized to attend the meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORT — Mr. Aharrah reported for the committee which was instructed to examine the question of tax-dollar support for higher education in Pennsylvania and to submit recommendations concerning the matter. Following discussion, the report was tabled until a later meeting on motion by Mr. Aharrah, seconded by Miss Drake and passed.

COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC. REPORT — Mr. Rich, representing Communications Services, Inc., made suggestions and reported on activities relative to public relations as follows:

- Seven editorials favorable to the state colleges were exhibited and the recommendation was made that these be duplicated and distributed throughout the state.
- 2. Prices were quoted for reprinting the Cornell report and it was recommended that \$300.00 be spent for this project for which approximately 2000 copies could be obtained.
- 3. It was reported that twelve of the colleges have completed the individual college survey.
- 4. It was recommended that no further action be taken at this time relative to preferred appropriations.
- 5. It was recommended that 1000 copies of the Welsh Report in the Patriot-News supplement entitled "Our College Crisis" be purchased and distributed. These may be obtained in this quantity at five cents per copy.
- 6. Through Mr. Rich the American Legion requested Council to support the "Cold War G.I. Bill of Rights" designed to give education and home loan benefits to veterans discharged since January 31, 1955 and extending to July 1, 1967.
- Announcement was made that a complete and up-to-date list
 of all media and legislators in the commonwealth is ready for
 distribution to all public relations directors of the state colleges.
- 8. The need for providing considerable financial assistance to support and publicize possible testimony before the Council of Higher Education was made clear.

NEW BUSINESS — Upon request of the president, the secretary reviewed in detail the proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, House Bill 220, (Act 290) which would create the Pennsylvania Higher Assistance Agency, which in turn would administer the Higher Education Loan Plan. This legislation is designed to assist qualified Pennsylvania residents in obtaining higher education by lending funds or guaranteeing the loan of funds. On motion by Mr. Zahorchak, seconded by Miss Drake, the resolution which follows was unanimously adopted:

The Council of Alumni Association of the State College of Pennsylvania does hereby go on record in support of the proposed amendment to the Constitution 1-A which will amend article three, section eighteen, to provide for grants or loans to residents for higher education purposes.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the Council and its members are urged to work actively for the approval of this amendment at the November 5th election.

On motion by Mr. Aharrah, seconded by Mrs. Etshied, and passed, Communications Services, Inc. was authorized to prepare for distribution to Legislators, College Trustees, Editorial Writers, and all Media in the state, the seven editorials recommended for such distribution by Mr. Rich.

Communications Services, Inc. was also authorized to reproduce additional copies of the Cornell Report at a cost not to exceed three hundred dollars (\$300.00), on motion by Mr. Zahorchak, seconded by Mr. Washington, and passed.

Mr. Rowland moved, Mrs. Ethshied seconded, and the motion was passed to authorize Communications Service, Inc. to draft a resolution supporting the "Cold War G.I. Bill of Rights". Copies of the Resolution are to be sent to Pennsylvania's United States Senators and to the members of the Pennsylvania delegation in the House of Representatives.

On Motion by Mr. Rowland, seconded by Mr. Washington, and passed, the Executive Committee of the Council was authorized and charged with the responsibility of moving forward with plans and program to be submitted to the Council of Higher Education and to seek cooperation of the Board of Presidents of the State Colleges of Pennsylvania, the Association of Trustees of the State Colleges of Pennsylvania, and the Faculties Association of the State Colleges of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Patterson moved and Mr. Furgiuele seconded a motion which was unanimously passed to authorize a current assessment of \$300.00 for each college for the fiscal year beginning October 1st; also, that the representative of each college be charged with the responsibility of alerting his association to the possible need for emergency financial support of the activities of the Council if it is to meet with the newly formed Council of Higher Education.

On motion by Mr. Kerr, seconded by Mr. Eckert, and passed, Communications Services, Inc. was authorized to purchase and distribute one thousand copies of the Welsh articles in the Patriot-News suppliment entitled "Our College Crisis".

On motion by Mr. Zahorchak, seconded by Mr. Furgiuele, and passed, the treasurer was authorized to transfer funds as needed from the savings account to the checking account.

On motion by Mr. Kerr, seconded by Miss Drake, and passed, the president was authorized to appoint a "Reporter to the Colleges" who is to supply news of Council activities to editors of state college alumni publications and to public relations directors. The president requested Dr. Allen D. Patterson to serve in this capacity, and Dr. Patterson consented to do so.

Mr. Aharrah called attention to the correct name of this Council as indicated in the constitution which is, The Council of Alumni Associations of the State Colleges of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Washington, chairman of the nominating committee, submitted

a slate of officers for 1963-64 as follows:

President	Leon E. Lunn, Mansfield
Vice President	Mr. Wallace Kerr, Slippery Rock
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On motion by Mr. Washington and seconded by Mr. Rowland, the report was adopted. President Lunn surrendered the chair to Mr. Washington who presided for the election of officers. No further nominations were offered, and on motion by Mr. Rowland, seconded by Mr. Aharrah, and passed, the chair was empowered to direct the secretary to cast a unanimous ballot for officers as nominated. This was done and all officers named above were declared elected. According to Section II, Article 3, of the Constitution, retiring secretary John R. Wildrick automatically continues as a member of the Executive Committee.

On motion by Mr. Zahorchak, seconded by Mr. Washington, and passed, the date of the next meeting of Council was set for January 11, 1964. The place of the meeting will be the PSEA Building, and the starting time will be 11:00 A.M.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted, John R. Wildrick Secretary

Students To Be Housed In College Facilities

The time may soon come when all Indiana State College students, both male and female, except commuters, will be housed in college-owned or college-supervised facilities, Dr. Willis E. Pratt, president of the college, stated recently.

With the opening of Mack and Stewart Halls this fall, he explained, all women students enrolled at the College during the current term, with the exception of commuters, are living in college, or college-approved dormitories.

In addition, all freshman men are now living in college-owned or college-approved housing. In the 1964-65 academic year, he added, all sophomore men, as well as freshmen, will be housed in college dormitories, college-supervised facilities, or fraternity houses.

Future plans call for the housing of all men students, as well as women, in college-owned or approved private dormitories, he continued. This, the president explained, should occur in a few years, as additional facilities are added at the college.

Buildings under construction at the present time include Gordon Hall, a men's dormitory which will accommodate 210 students and be ready for occupancy in January, 1964.

A women's dormitory to house an additional 300 students is also under construction. Located at the corner of School Street and Oakland Avenue, the new structure will be completed by September, 1965.

As a result of activities proposed or currently under construction, the need for private housing, other than that already in use and specifically supervised by the college, will be extremely limited, Dr. Pratt concluded.

Phi Delta Kappa Chapter Instituted at Indiana

A campus chapter of Phi Delta Kappa was recently instituted at Indiana State College, when the charter for the new organization was presented to Dr. Willis E. Pratt, president of the college.

The charter, bearing forty-five names, was presented to the college by Dr. Robert H. Saylor of the College Education and Psychology Department, who serves as president of the newly-formed chapter.

Also participating in the ceremonies were Dr. Charles D. Leach, college director of research, and Dr. Lawrence F. McVitty of the art de-

partment, co-sponsors of the new organization.

Phi Delta Kappa is a professional organization of men in education at all levels. The group, with a present membership of over 60,000 educators, is dedicated to leadership, research, and service in the field of education.

Membership in this organization is limited to faculty and men graduate students who meet prescribed educational standards. Graduate students invited to join this professional fraternity must, in addition to having achieved a high academic standing, be candidates for the degree of Master of Education at Indiana State College.

Among the many services performed by this organization is the publication of the Phi Delta Kappan, one of the truly outstanding education magazines in America.



Dr. Robert Saylor, local chapter president, presents charter to Dr. Pratt while Dr. Charles Leach and Dr. Lawrence McVitty, faculty sponsors, look on.

College Again Sponsors Study in Spain Program At University of Valladolid

The Pennsylvania-Valladolid Study in Spain Program, initiated in June, 1963, will be offered for the second consecutive year in June, 1964, according to Dr. Herbert E. Isar, assistant chairman of the Department of Foreign Languages at Indiana State College, and director of the program.

The program, sponsored in cooperation with the other Pennsylvania State Colleges and the Department of Public Instruction, is intended to encourage future teachers of Spanish to spend, at minimum cost, the period June through December during or after their junior year in college at a Spanish university where they can immerse themselves in Spanish culture and language.

Following their study in Spain, participating students will return to their home institutions for completion of requirements for graduation the

next summer.

Sponsors of the program point out that experience of the kind gained in the Study in Spain program is particularly significant at the present time in view of strengthened certification requirements, instituted October 1, 1963, for teachers of foreign languages in the Commonwealth.

To participate in this program applicants are expected to have completed two, preferably three years of college Spanish with an acceptable grade record. They must be able to follow lectures in Spanish and converse without difficulty. The junior year should have been completed, though exceptions will be made, especially if a student is specifically recommended as being sufficiently prepared and mature to profit from his study abroad.

Candidates for an Arts degree are eligible if they satisfy the language requirements as stated. Summer participation is permissible for those who will be teaching in September. Applications from private institutions in the Commonwealth will be welcomed.

Participants will report to the Indiana State College campus, Thursday, June 4, 1965, departing the same day for Valladolid, which they will reach on Wednesday, June 17.

Content courses, which begin July 1, after two weeks devoted to intensive work in practical Spanish and adjustment to the social and academic climate, will run to December 20. Students are expected to return to Indiana the first week of January, 1965.

Every effort has been made to keep costs as low as possible in the interest of participation by a maximum number of future teachers. \$1150 will finance all transportation from Indiana to Valladolid and return (including transatlantic passage by sea, Tourist Class), five or more excursions in Spain, tuition and examination fees at Valladolid, supervision by a resident director during the entire period, room and board, and laundry. The student should plan to have sufficient funds for personal expenses, but these probably will not exceed \$150.

Participants will study at the Faculty of Philosophy and Letters (College of Arts and Sciences) of the University of Valladolid. All courses are to be conducted by regular faculty members of the university who will

also organize excursions to museums and cities in Castile.

Indiana State College will allow participants a total of 30 credits toward graduation or permanent certification, 12 for the summer, 18 for the fall. The Faculty of Philosophy and Letters of the University of Valladolid will also issue a diploma, the Certificado de Suficiencia, to students of superior achievement.

This certificate specifies the quality of work performed in terms of the traditional Spanish system of grading: approved (D), notable (C), outstanding (B), and outstanding cum laude (A). Such a certificate will most certainly be of considerable value to the future teacher of Spanish when applying for a teaching position upon his return to this country.

Persons wishing to participate in the program, or those desiring additional information, should write to: Pennsylvania-Valladolid Program, Department of Foreign Languages, Indiana State College, Indiana, Pennsylvania.

Noted Speakers To Deliver Commencement Addresses

During the past several years a great deal of time has been spent in trying to bring to the campus commencement speakers of national reputation who would discuss with our students issues of recognized importance, according to Dr. Willis E. Pratt, president of the college.

In line with this policy, the president has secured for the mid-term commencement to be held on January 12, 1964, Chancellor Edward P. Litchfield of the University of Pittsburgh.

Chancellor Litchfield has distinguished himself as an outstanding educational leader in America and has instituted at the University many valuable innovations in the field of liberal education, the professions of medicine, law, engineering, and others.

At the spring commencement, on May 23, 1964, the commencement address will be given by Dr. Elton Trueblood, Professor of Philosophy at Earlham College. Dr. Trueblood is well known for his writings in the field of philosophy and ethics, and should make a real contribution to our commencement program.

Tentative arrangements have been made to bring to the campus for the May 1965 commencement Dr. Archibald MacLeish, former librarian at the Library of Congress, and one of the most knowledgeable men in America today.

For the January 1965 commencement, tentative arrangements have been made with Stuart Udall, Secretary of the Interior, who is a wellknown national figure and an excellent speaker, to deliver the address.

Dozens of other nationally known persons have been invited to various commencements and we can look forward to having some outstanding personages at our commencement programs in the future, Dr. Pratt explained.

September, 1964, Enrollment Closed For Women Applicants

Enrollment for women applicants to the Indiana Campus of the Indiana State College for the semester beginning September, 1964, has been closed, according to Dr. James W. Laughlin, Assistant Dean of Students at the college. Applications already received at the college will be processed, Dr. Laughlin added.

Enrollments at both the Punxsutawney Center and the Armstrong County Center are still open, he stated. Those wishing to be considered for admission to the Centers should write directly to Mr. John Watta, Director, Punxsutawney Center, Indiana State College, Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania; or Mr. Robert Doerr, Director, Armstrong County Center, Indiana State College, Kittanning, Pennsylvania.

The college, which expects to enroll approximately 1100 students in September, 1964, already has received over 2200 applications for admission, the Dean continued.

Of these, approximately 1650 have been from women from which group only 593 can be admitted under current allocations, he concluded.

ISC Film Library Valued At \$150,000

The Indiana State College film library, under the direction of Dr. J. Robert Murray, coordinator, and Mr. John M. Fetterman, film librarian, has recently been assessed at a value in excess of \$150,000.

The library was organized in 1940 by Professor Wilbur Emmert who personally purchased several films which he rented to interested educators. He took the profits from these rentals and purchased additional films, equipment, and materials, hoping thereby to develop a large, well-equipped film library.

Unfortunately, when Leonard Hall was destroyed by fire in 1953, Mr. Emmert's library was also destroyed. It wasn't long, however, before the film was replaced and new reels added to the collection.

Today, the library, located on the ground floor of Leonard Hall, contains over 2,000 reels, including 1,700 titles covering an extremely broad area of subject matter.

The films, which are catalogued according to reel size, number, and title by Mr. Fetterman, have been used by schools and colleges as far away as Texas and Massachusetts, but particularly by those located within a radius of about 100 miles of Indiana.

Indiana students are permitted use of the library facilities without charge. As a result, the films, which are aimed primarily at the junior and senior high school levels, are used very widely by students doing their practice teaching.

Purchases today total \$5,000 each year and include films of interest to students on the college level in ever-increasing numbers, so the library is expected to continue its remarkable growth in the years to come.

Indiana Designated Testing Center

Indiana State College has been designated as a testing center for the 1964 nationwide administration of the National Teacher Examinations next February, according to Dr. George Stouffer, dean of the school of education.

College seniors preparing to teach and teachers applying for positions in school systems which encourage or require applicants to submit their scores on the National Teacher Examinations along with their other credentials are eligible to take the tests. The examinations are prepared and administered annually by Educational Testing Service, Princeton, New Jersey.

Designation of Indiana State College as a testing center for these examinations will give prospective teachers in this area an opportunity to compare their performance on the examinations with candidates throughout the country who take the tests in the nationwide administrations, Dr. Stouffer said.

ISC Geology Class Unearths Mastodon

Students of Donald W. Groff's class in geology at Indiana State College, Indiana, Pennsylvania, are assembling the skeleton of a mastodon recently excavated on a farm near Fayette City, Pennsylvania.

The animal, a Mastodonus Americanus, was found in the undated Carmichaels Formation, where no other guide fossils have thus far been found, according to Professor Groff.

This formation is a poorly known sequence of sands, clays, and gravel that roughly parallel the path of the present and ancestoral Monongahela River, or what were once deposits from that river.

Because the age of these deposits is not known, the age of the Monongahela River and its associated environment is also unknown. A geochemical experiment on the recovered skeleton is planned, therefore, to determine how long ago the animal lived.

The animal is a "link-mastodon;" that is, a link between the earlier four-tuskers and the recent two-tuskers. It has two well-developed, long tusks and two that appear to be degenerate and too small for effective use.

The animal has the short squat nature of the more recent mastodons but the tooth structure of the older ones. These older animals had twelve teeth whereas the recent ones had only eight.

The skeleton, which lay under eight feet of overburden, was not intact, but was spread throughout what appeared to be stream-bottom gravels and floodplain clays.

Recovery of identifiable bones amounts to about 50% of the total animal with the majority of the bones from the legs, trunk, and head. Countless numbers of bone chips were also removed, but it is doubtful that they all can be correctly restored to their proper position.

If ownership of the remains can be assured, it appears likely that important related scientific research can follow. In addition, it is expected that the assembled animal may serve for instruction in subjects such as comparative anatomy, paleontology, and physiology.

An estimated sixty students from all disciplines (but primarily from science) helped in the excavation which began in the spring of 1963 and continued until October. The effort has had the support of the Science Department at the local college, but is the special project of D. W. Groff and his geology students.



Students of Mr. Groff's geology class digging at the site where mastodon skeleton was unearthed.

Graduate Courses Offered

Indiana State College Division of Graduate Studies will offer a number of courses in the spring semester beginning January 28, 1964, according to Dr. Joy Mahachek, Acting Dean of the Graduate School.

Classes will be offered Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings from 5:30 to 7:10 p.m. and from 7:30 to 9:10 p.m. A number of classes are also scheduled for Saturday mornings from 9:00 to 10:40 a.m. and 11:00 to 12:40 p.m.

The courses offered are designed to lead to the degree of Master of Education with majors in Art, Business Education, English, Elementary Education, Mathematics, Music Education, Biology, Chemistry, Physical Science, Elementary Science, Geography, Guidance, and Social Science.

Those wishing to enroll in graduate courses should write to the Dean of the Graduate School, Indiana State College, Indiana, Pennsylvania.

Indiana Selected By NCAA

The National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) has notified Indiana State College, Indiana, Pennsylvania, of its acceptance into membership as of September, 1963, according to Dr. Willis E. Pratt, President of the college.

The voluntary association of some 583 member institutions and affiliated associations is devoted to the sound administration of intercollegiate athletics in all of its phases.

Through the NCAA, member institutions consider any athletic problem which has crossed regional or conference lines. It also gives athletic accreditation — a certification of good conduct in the operation of athletic programs. The organization serves the college and universities of the nation by speaking for and acting on athletic matters at the national level.

The NCAA serves as the over-all national discussion, legislative and administrative body for the universities and colleges of the United States on matters of intercollegiate athletics. It conducts fifteen National College Championship events in thirteen spots. This historic series dates back to 1883 and over this seventy-nine year period more than 44,000 student-athletes have competed in its sponsored events, with 2,416 earning the coveted title of "National Collegiate Champion". In 1963 the series was enlarged to nineteen events with the addition of four College Division Championships.

The National Collegiate Athletic Association participates in the United States Olympic and Pan American movements as the administrative agency for the colleges; it raises funds, organizes the sports, and provides coaches for the athletes on the United States teams.

Big Indians Finish Season With Single Loss

by Larry Judge
Sports Information Director

Indiana State College, playing in its second football season under the coaching of Chuck Mills, this season completed a campaign even more successful than the surprising first.

Final record for the Big Indians showed seven victories against just a single defeat and a tie, again the best winning percentage for an ISC grid squad since George Miller's 1940 entrant posted a 7-0-1 slate.

As a matter of fact, that 1940 campaign along with the 1934 season when the Braves finished undefeated in six games rank as the only two years when the Indianians have come up with better marks than this one just past.

Conference standings for the Western Division of Pennsylvania State Colleges show the Braves in second place, winning five league contests while losing one.

Slippery Rock, which just did edge out the Big Indians 10-7, copped the divisional championship with a six win-no loss card but fell before powerful West Chester 36-1 in the state championship event.

Only that loss at the hands of Slippery Rock along with a 13-13 tie with Westminster mar an otherwise perfect record in nine games. So the Tribe misses an all-winning mark, the best in history, by just five points.

In some ways this campaign was just as surprising as the debut season of Chuck Mills, when the Big Indians came up with five wins against just two losses and a tie.



The Big Indians hit the field just before their Big Homecoming win over Clarion. Score was 34 to 0.

Although only six seniors had graduated from that squad, Mills had lost several other men for unexpected reasons including injuries and forecast a long year to come.

But as soon as the Redskins opened up against St. Joseph's of Indiana with a convincing 22-6 victory, the Big Indians knew from there on

that they had come up with a very fine football team.

Every one of their five league wins was comparatively easy, many of them—notably those against Shippensburg 39-21, Edinboro 41-7 and Clarion 34-0—by much wider margins than anyone had dared predict.

That game against Clarion before a crowd of 10,000 Homecoming fans was perhaps the high point of the campaign, with the Golden Eagles undefeated in four starts before ISC handed them a defeat from which they never recovered.

Other wins came over California State 7-0, the first Indian win over the Vulcans in five seasons, Lock Haven 27-6 and a non-conference vic-

tory over Albright in the Pretzel Bowl 17-14.

ISC was not without its team leaders, notably co-captains Bill Leonard and Bob Jamison. Leonard led the squad in total offense by far, while Jamison proved a real tower of strength on defense.

Jim Ashton ranked as leading scorer on the team with seven touchdowns for 42 points. Pete Archibald, a real shining start as defensive halfback, had the knack of appearing in the right place at the right time.

Jamison and guard Barry Gasdek were named to the all-conference offensive team, Archibald to the defensive. Center Frank Yusi was given honorable mention to the squad.

This very successful campaign ended on a note of sadness when an indoor football game in Convention Hall in Atlantic City against Montclair was cancelled in deference to the death of President John F. Kennedy.



Coaches Bob Letso, Owen Dougherty, Chuck Mills, Gene Lepley, and Ed Receski.

Music Department Given Record Collection

Through the assistance of Mrs. David P. Williams, the Music Department of Indiana State College has just received a collection of recordings from the Estate of the late John A. H. Keith, Jr. Mrs. Williams is a sur-

viving sister who now resides in Cape Cod.

The collection contains a total of 473 separate disks with many unusual items: The Complete Works for Harpsichord by Couperin; Works of Mozart; the Thirty-two Piano Sonates of Beethoven as played by Schnabel, with scores; Eleven Volumes of Scarlatti Sonatas; the Complete Suites for Harpsichord by Purcell; and the Complete Songs of Faure.

John A. H. Keith, Jr. was the son of John A. H. Keith, who was president of Indiana State College from 1917 to 1927 and Pennsylvania

Superintendent of Public Instruction from 1927 to 1931.

Most Indiana Grads Accept Teaching Positions

A very high percentage of 1963 graduates of Indiana State College have taken teaching positions, according to Dr. E. Samuel Hoenstine, Director of Placement at the college.

During 1963, Dr. Hoenstine reported, Indiana graduated 787 students, including 25 students in Public School Nursing, School Food

Services, and Dental Hygiene.

Of the 762 who were certified to teach in various fields of education, 668 have taken teaching positions. This represents 88 per cent of the graduates. The national average for graduates who are certified to teach and who enter teaching is only 75 per cent.

In addition to those who are teaching, 26 are attending graduate school and 42 have entered military service. Many of these are expected to enter teaching in a year or two and would raise the per cent of graduates entering the teaching profession to approximately 95.

Homemaking and other employment have been selected by only 5

per cent of the graduates.

There is an increasing demand for Indiana graduates as indicated by the number of teaching vacancies listed in the Placement Office. Over 15,000 vacancies were listed in 1963. This represents an increase of 2,000 over 1962 and 5,000 over 1961.

The greatest shortage of teachers continues to exist in the fields of elementary, languages, and general science. The supply and demand varies greatly in subject fields within the area of secondary education.

In a few fields the supply is meeting the demands.

The proportion of graduates in elementary and secondary education in Pennsylvania should be reversed if the needs of our public schools are to be met, Dr. Hoenstine stated. For example, at Indiana State College during 1963, 27 per cent of the graduates were certified in elementary education, but approximately 45 per cent of our requests for teachers were in this field. During the same period, 45 per cent of our graduates were certified to teach in secondary fields, but only about 35 per cent of our requests were for teachers in these fields.

In addition to mailing out thousands of sets of credentials for students, the Placement Office has provided for over 800 personal interviews on campus during 1963. The office is presently expanding its services in the schools of Liberal Arts and Graduate Education. The first student will graduate from the Liberal Arts School in January, 1964.

Gov. Scranton Announces Appointments To School Policy Board

The following information is printed here for the information of all our alumni:

Governor William W. Scranton recently announced the names of persons appointed to the newly-created state Board of Education.

The appointees include the three members-at-large of the state board, six of the seven members of the Council of Basic Education, and all seven of the members of the Council of Higher Education. Members of the two councils, together with the three at-large appointees, comprise the state board, created by the 1963 legislature.

The at-large appointees include: Ira C. Gross, Beaver Springs RD 1 (five year term), former secretary of the Pennsylvania State Grange; Duane E. Wilder, Warren (three year term), member of the former state Council of Education and a member of the Governor's Committee on Public Library Development; Mario C. Celli, Greensburg (five year term), member of the former State Council of Education and former president of the Pennsylvania Society of Architects.

Named to the Council of Basic Education were: Dr. William M. Potter, Wilkinsburg (four year term), superintendent of schools at Wilkinsburg; Dr. Paul S. Christman, Schuylkill Haven (five year term), superintendent of Schuylkill Haven Joint School District; Joseph F. Burke, Philadelphia (two year term), president Local 19, Sheet Metal Workers' International Association and member of former Governor's Committee on Education; Walter F. Wilmarth, Kinsgley, Susquehanna County (six year term), president of Harford school board and member of Mountainview Jointure and Susquehanna County school board; Mrs. Albert M. Greenfield, Philadelphia (one year term), member of the Philadelphia Board of Public Education, and Parke H. Lutz, Lancaster County (two year term), vice-president of the Holt, Rinehart and Winston Publishing firm.

Appointed to the Council of Higher Education were: Dr. Katharine E. McBride, Bryn Mawr (four year term), president of Bryn Mawr College; Charles G. Simpson, Philadelphia (six year term), vice-president of United Gas Improvement Co.; Dr. Leonard N. Wolf, Scranton (three year term), chairman of the Department of Biology, University of Scranton; Attorney James H. Rowland, Harrisburg (three year term), past president of the Council of General Alumni Associations of Pennsylvania state colleges; George G. Gray, Levittown Route 13, (one year term), executive editor of the Levittown Times; Gail L. Rose, Renfrew RD 1, Butler County (two year term), supervisor of training for Armco Steel Corp.; Dr. Otis C. McCreery, Bridgeville, Allegheny County (five year term), assistant to the president, Aluminum Co. of America.

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Margiotti, Charles J. Sutton, Mary Agnes Class of 1913

Maloney, Mrs. Louise Langham

Wechsler, Mrs. Esther Kaplan

Class of 1916 Timberlake, Elton Dale

Class of 1918
Whttington, Mrs. M. Vashti
Burr

Class of 1921
Hineman, Roma P.
Justice, Mrs. Nina Lucas

Class of 1929 Killgallon, Katherine W.

News Items About Indiana Grads

AS IT MUST TO ALL

 Rev. Newell Scott Fiscus, 1891, passed away recently at the age of 96. He was a former president of the Blairsville Ladies Seminary.

He served as assistant pastor at the First Presbyterian Church of Tacoma, Washington. At the time of his passing, he was a resident of a retired ministers home in Tacoma.

John A. H. Keith, Jr., formerly of Indiana, died August 23, 1963, at the Veterans Hospital in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, following a short illness.

Dr. Keith was the son of the late John A. H. Keith, who served as president of Indiana State College from 1917 to 1927 and as Superintendent of Public Instruction for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

At the time of his death Dr. Keith was associated with the Lee Way Express Company in Pittsburgh. Earlier in his life, he had studied at Haverford from which he graduated in 1928, and at Harvard, where he had earned his Doctor's degree in 1933. His major academic interest being in the Romance Languages, he also studied, for a time, in Toulouse, France.

Following services in Pittsburgh, Dr. Keith was returned to Indiana where he was interred in the Oakland Cemetery.

• Dessalee Rees, 1921, died November 12, 1963. She was α resident of West Mifflin.

NEW ARRIVALS

- A daughter, Linda Suzanne, was born on September 14, 1963, to Mr. and Mrs. Tony Chiesa of 431 East Seneca Street, Ithaca, New York. Mrs. Chiesa is the former Roberta Hart, Class of 1959, Elementary Education.
- Judith Kuhl Zink, class of 1960, who was married to Louis A. Zink, Jr. of Arlington, Virginia, in 1962, is now residing at 4407 South Four Mile Run Drive, Arlington 4, Virginia.

Mrs. Zink, who has taught science in Virginia schools for several years and worked for the National Academy of Sciences for one year, recently gave birth to a daughter, Sharon Annette.

WEDDING BELLS

- Barbara Petrarca and Kenneth D. Hennessey, both 1963 graduates, were married August 17, 1963. The newlyweds are now living at 316 Georgia Avenue, Lorain, Ohio, where Mrs. Hennessey is teaching first grade at Charleston Elementary School and Mr. Hennessey is teaching chemistry and algebra in Admiral King High School.
- Barbara Ann Receski, 1961, became the bride of Edward Frank Kozar at a summer wedding in the Assumption Roman Catholic Church in Ernest.

Mr. Kozar is a graduate of Slippery Rock State College and employed by the Blairsville Joint School System. Mrs. Kozar teaches in the Saltsburg Joint School System. • Janet Arlene Ehlman, 1959, became the bride of Leonard Anderson, 1957, on August 25, 1963.

Mrs. Anderson received her master's degree in home economics from Pennsylvania State University and is presently teaching home economics at Neshaminy Junior High School.

Mr. Anderson is a science and biology teacher in the Nashaminy Junior-Senior High School and is enrolled in the Graduate School of The Pennsylvania State University, where he is majoring in biological science.

He holds the commissioned rank of First Lt., Quartermaster Corps, United State Army Reserve and served on active duty with the Quartermaster Training Command, Fort Lee, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are now residing at 121 Stonybrook Drive, Levittown, Pennsylvania.

• Louella Mae Mattern, 1960, and John Wayne Snyder, 1956, were united in marriage in the First Methodist Church of Altoona on Saturday, August 17, 1963.

Mrs. Snyder has done graduate work at the University of Denver and Indiana State College while Mr. Snyder received his master's degree from Pennsylvania State University in 1962.

The couple teaches in the Altoona School District and reside at 310 ½ Spruce Avene, Altoona.

NEW POSITIONS

• Mrs. Mary Wylie Driscoll, Indiana class of 1930, of Fairfield, Ohio, returned to the faculty of Miami University's Oxford campus as a part-time professor of home economics in September during the absence of Dr. James L. Rees, department chairman.

- Dr. Ruth L. Myers, 1942, counseling psychologist at Ball State Teachers College, Muncie, Indiana, has been promoted from assistant to associate professor.
- Appointment of William R. Phillips of 24 Crestmont Road, Verona, New Jersey, as Corporate Director of Safety and Insurance for International Pipe & Ceramics Corporation (INTER-PACE) was announced by John F. Betts, executive vice president. Mr. Phillips was formerly safety supervisor for the firm.

Mr. Phillips, a graduate of Indiana State College, class of 1954, took advanced study at Michigan State College.

After graduation, he taught school in Trenton, Michigan for two years. Subsequently he joined Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, St. Louis, Missouri, as Loss Prevention Engineer. In 1960 he joined the Lock Joint Pipe Company, East Orange, New Jersey as safety coordinator. When Lock Joint Pipe Company merged with Gladding, McBean & Co. of Los Angeles last year to form INTER-PACE, he was named safety supervisor.

He is the son of Mrs. Carolyn T. Phillips of 111 East Washington Avenue, Connellsville, Pennsylvania and the late E. Stanley Phillips.

- George Glarner, 1956 graduate and former ISC athlete, has been promoted to head football coach at Swissvale Senior High School.
- Frank C. Shilling, 1951, has recently been appointed principal of Fort Pitt Elementary School. He received his M.Ed. from Pitt, and has taken advanced work at Arizona State and at Pitt. His mili-

tary experience in the U. S. Army included service in Hawaii and combat in Korea.

Mr. Schilling taught at Troy Hill, Overbrook, and Thaddeus Stevens schools, before serving as assistant principal at Brookline, Carmalt, and West Liberty schools. He has been superintendent of the Sunday school at Trinity Lutheran Church in Sheraden.

The Schillings have a son and a daughter; they live at 1180 Greenlawn Drive, Pittsburgh 20.

MASTER'S DEGREES

 Nineteen Indiana State College graduates received Master's Degrees at the September 1, 1963, Commencement of The Pennsylvania State University.

Ethel Annalee Rosenswie Henderson, 1957, received a master of arts in mathematics.

Receiving master of education degrees were: Janice Elizabeth Atty, 1960, in Elementary Education; Barbara Jane Cope, 1959, Elementary Education; Janet Arlene Ehlman, 1959, General Family Studies; Jo'an Lucille Empfield, 1956, Elementary Education; Reynolds James Enterline, 1957, Biological Science; Lois Jane Feather, 1958, Elementary Education.

Phyllis Louise Burchfield Fitzgerald, 1959, Elementary Education; Evelyn Jean Keller, 1959, Elementary Education; Colleen Anne Kelly, 1957, General Family Studies; Lawrence Eugene Koziarz, 1962, Elementary Education; George Michael Massabni, 1960, Secondary Education.

Mary Joan Reagan, 1940, Counseling in Education; Georgina Marie Sackandy, 1956, Elementary Education; Roberta Mae St. Clair, 1944, Elementary Education; Charles William Smith, 1955, Educational Administration; Mary Blanche Solarczyk, 1960, Physical Science; Emma Lou Hay Somers, 1960, Mathematics; and Thomas Richard Swivel, 1961, Secondary Education.

• Edward Wesley Wiles, 1956, received his M.A. in Education from Western Reserve University at the annual summer convocation for the conferring of degrees September 6, 1963.

ACTIVITIES OF INTEREST TO ALUMNI

January

- 3—Cultural Life The National Players - "Oedipus Rex" -Fisher Auditorium - 8:15 p.m.
- 7—Convocation "The New American Revolution" Mr. Vance Packard Fisher Auditorium 11 a.m.
- 12-Mid-Winter Commencement

February

- 7—Opera Workshop Fisher Auditorium - 8:15 p.m.
- 11—Convocation "My Discovery of America" - Miss Nila Magidoff - Fisher Auditorium 11 a.m.
- 18—Convocation "Mothers of the Great" - Miss Muriel Wolfson - Fisher Auditorium

March

- 6-7—Three-Act Play Fisher Auditorium
- 10—Convocation "Breath of the Red Bear" - Mr. Luiz-Flavio de Faro of the Brazilian Consulate - Fisher Auditorium -11 a.m.

April

6—Cultural Life - The San Pietro Orchestra - Fisher Auditorium 8:15 p.m.

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Jennie Johns Rowe, 1905, and Orvis F. Rowe, Cornell 1910, celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on September 27, 1963, at a tea given at their son's home in Tucson, Arizona.

Mrs. Rowe, formerly of Wilkinsburg, Pennsylvania, where she taught in the public schools of Turtle Creek and Wilkinsburg, married Mr. Rowe in 1913 and moved to Forest Hills Borough where Mr. Rowe was an electrical engineer with the Westinghouse Electric Corporation.

After retirement, they moved to Tucson, Arizona, to be near their son, Dr. Harold J. Rowe, a specialist in Internal Medicine. They have three grandchildren, Suzanne, a graduate of the University of Arizona and now a lieutenant, Jg. in the Navy Nurse Corps at Bethesda, Maryland; David, a pre-med student at Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa.; and Deborah, a junior high school student.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowe now reside at 2259 East Spring Street, Tucson, Arizona.

Activities of the Alumni Units and Groups

INSTANO 1912

We were pleased to have Mary L. Esch from the College as our honored guest at the 1912 fall get-together in Kaufmann's dining room on Saturday, November 2. She brought us news of the Homecoming events, the new buildings, and those to come.

Florence Wallace from the college faculty, and a member of our Instano group, aroused much interest in her description of her visit behind the Iron Curtain this past summer.

Ethel Orr, former Indiana faculty member and honorary member of our group, brought us news of former faculty members, Misses Moore, Applegate, Winters and Edna B. Smith. She also recommended a vacation in Kentucky.

Helen Brennan, Alumni President, and classmate, of whom we are justly proud, brought us upto-date on alumni business and future plans. She introduced her guest, Ethel Coughlin, former member of Indiana faculty.

We were happy to learn that a worthy student had been award-

ed a gift from our 50th anniversary fund.

Verne Martin McKee and her husband left this week for their winter stay in Florida.

Margaret Allen took us on a cruise with her to Carribean Islands.

Twenty-seven members and guests enjoyed the pleasant afternoon and luncheon arranged by Mary Wolfhope Hayes and Lillie List Herman.

Jean Lacock Russell, Ruth Galer Reimer, and Janet Little Banfield will plan the May Meeting.

> Submitted by Adelaide Ramsay Clarke

WASHINGTON D. C. UNIT

The first meeting of the season—a fall picnic, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Lehman in Bethesda, Maryland, Sunday, September 15th. The weather, while beautiful in the early afternoon, became too "nippy," and guests retired to the Lehman's recreation room to enjoy the repast.

Tentative plans call for the next meeting to be held at the Margaret Art Gallery in D. C.—so named for the late Margaret Dickey, an alumna of Indiana and faculty member of the D. C. Teacher's College.

Plans were also discussed for the Luncheon to be held in February for the All Pennsylvania College Alumni Association and the dinner given the evening before for our guests from Indiana, whom we look forward to meeting each year.

We were pleased to have in our midst again, Miss Dorothy Ramale, who has been on leave from Swanson Junior High School in Arlington, Virginia. Miss Ramale spent the leave at Boston College attending the Academic Year Institute of the National Science Foundation for teachers of mathematics.

We were all saddened by the sudden passing of our beloved former president and founder—Mrs. Vashti Burr Whittington. She was our guiding light for many years as well as the founder and president ex officio of the All Pennsylvania College Alumni Association of D. C. As long as the D. C. Unit exists, her spirit will be kept alive.

The pleasant afternoon was climaxed by a showing of colored slides and scenes of the College Homecoming and other points of interest by Mr. Lehman.

The following members were present: Mrs. Ruth Brilhart, President; Mrs. Edith Shaffer, Vice President; Mrs. Grace Lehman, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Laura Gienger, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Margaret McComb Anderson; Mrs. Mary L. Vail, and Mrs. Mary Piranian.

Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell, parents of Mrs. Brilhart and Mrs. Piranian, Charles and Christopher Gienger, Mr. C. C. Anderson, Col. Forrest Shaffer, and Mr. Graham Lehman.

> Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Mary L. Vail

JEANNETTE UNIT

The Jeannette Unit of the Indiana General Alumni Association had their first meeting of the year October 1, 1963, at the Bowl-A-Rena.

The purpose of this first meeting was to honor new officers of the unit - Evalyn Earhart, president; Ruth Datz, vice president; Ruth Malloy, secretary; and Dorothy Connor, treasurer.

A gift was presented to the past president, Dolores Domenick.

Prizes went to Ethel Simpson, Mary Johnson, Eula Menoher, Evalyn Stevenson. On the committee were Viola Hebrank, Mrs. Stevenson, Edna Brinker; Mrs. Simpson, decorations.

The members present designated a wish to have more members and are forming a special committee to contact all the Indiana Alumni in our area and try again to interest them in joining our Unit.

The meeting was very well attended, and if this is an indication of what we might expect in future meetings, we should be able to look forward to an interesting year.

The February meeting will be in charge of Dorothy Brown and Ann Wilps.

Submitted by Mrs. Ruth Glasser Simpson

PITTSBURGH NORTH-BOROUGHS UNIT

The Autumn meeting of the Pittsburgh-North Boroughs Unit was held on Saturday, September 28, at McSorley's Restaurant on the Ohio River Boulevard, where twenty members enjoyed a de-

licious luncheon and talkfest, be-

ginning at 12:30.

Our President, Catherine R. Taylor, welcomed us, and called upon Sylvia (Smith) Higbee to pronounce the invocation.

A pleasant surprise to all was the attendance of Ella (Glemaer) Lloyd, a member of long standing, but who has been a resident of Largo, Florida, for the last few

years. Come again, Ella!

As is traditional for the first meeting of the school year, the annual dues were accepted and the very popular year-book distributed to paid-up members. Miss Winifred Orr compiles and edits this delightful and useful little hand-book, that is eagerly awaited each fall.

At the business meeting that followed, the agenda for the coming year was announced. Such interesting affairs as a Benefit-Dessert Bridge in December, a Spring Luncheon and Business Meeting in March, and the traditional final Luncheon of the year, at the University Club in May, are in the offing.

The minutes were recorded by Mrs. Ruth Kennedy, Recording

Secretary.

The meeting ended on the happy note of extending hearty thanks to Fanny (Evans) Baird for arranging this get-together, at such a delightful place, on such a beautiful autumn day!

Submitted by Lillie (List) Herman Corresponding Secretary

PHILADELPHIA UNIT

On October 12, members of the Philadelphia Unit gathered at the home of Harry and Dorothy Hoehler for their first meeting of the new year. Sixteen members and ten guests (including husbands) were present on this colorful autumn day at the beautiful setting which overlooks Valley Forge Park.

The unit extended a warm welcome to the following new members and guests: Franklin Astor (1939) and Mrs. Astor, Lorraine Oberly Mairoriella (1959) and Mr. Maioriello, Robert M. Vaughn (1949) and Mrs. Vaughn, and Marilyn Rittenhouse.

Mary Hoehler Thompson came in with her six-month old son who already rivals his grandpa in aplomb when among people.

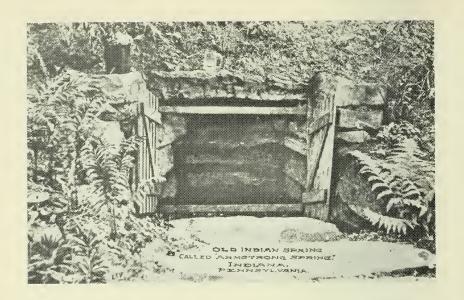
President John Federinko held a short business meeting while husbands played horse-shoes. When the president requested it during the meeting, all rose for a few moments of silent thought in memory of Martha Zeigler Wagner who passed away recently.

Though tables were set up on the lawn, it was too cool for outdoor dining. Such a display of food was spread out on nested tables indoors that by the time dessert was reached some had to "pass up" Mildred Cable's delicious cake as well as the one with the nice "gooey" chocolate icing by the hostess. For drinks there was cider and the real thing, home-brewed coffee.

Next came after-dinner stories and Helen Snyder's "bag of tricks" with a dial on which a little hand, when spun, pointed to what was written there for one to perform. All were good sports and acted out the suggestions at once. Riding a broom-stick by Roseanne Hane and doing the twist by the host were memorable performances.

It is always hard to break away from the happy times with the Hoehlers', but after appreciative good-byes, all were headed homeward about twilight.

> Submitted by Mary Edna Flegal





UNVEIL SHAVER SPRING PLAQUE — Shown, during unveiling ceremonies at Shaver Spring on the Indiana State College campus, are, left to right: Mrs. Frances Helman, Debra Steffey, and Rosemary Rankin. In background, members of Troop 27, Boy Scouts of America, under the supervision of Everett Reed, Jr., participants in the program honoring Lt. Col. John Armstrong.

Alumni Association Membership

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